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TAGS: PFOR US KS KN

SUBJ: APPROACH TO PAKISTANIS ON US-NORTH KOREAN CONTACTS

REF: STATE 43627

AS PART OF ANOTHER MEETING REQUESTED BY ME (SEE SEPTEL), I  
TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENSURE THAT ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER  
YOON WAS AWARE OF NK-PAKISTANI-US COMMUNICATIONS. SINCE HE  
HAD BEEN BRIEFED BY BLUE HOUSE ON SUBSTANCE OF THE AMBASSADOR'S  
CONVERSATION WITH THE PRESIDENT, YOON WAS AWARE OF THE  
EXCHANGES. HE TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO REEMPHASIZE THE  
IMPORTANCE OF THE UNITED STATES MAINTAINING PRESENT POLICY  
OF NOT HOLDING DISCUSSIONS WITH NORTH KOREANS WITHOUT  
PARTICIPATION OF ROKG. ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER INDICATED  
THAT ANY BILATERAL NK-US CONVERSATIONS WOULD BE VIEWED AS A  
VERY SERIOUS MATTER BY HIS GOVERNMENT. I REASSURED  
YOON THAT OUR POLICY HAD NOT CHANGED.

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